

Idaho Rural Summit Program Guide

- ◆ 1:00 – 1:15 p.m.
Introduction & Overview from Facilitator
- ◆ 1:15 – 1:45 p.m.
Progress Reports
- ◆ 1:45 – 2:30 p.m.
Group Brainstorming on Future Needs & Action Items on the breakout topic and the big picture
- ◆ 2:30 – 2:45 p.m.
Group Finalization of Breakout Report

BREAKOUT TOPICS

1. **Leadership/Governance, Kidd Island Bay**
Facilitator – Ken Harward
Reports from Sen. Skip Brandt and Ken Burgess, Office of Sen. Larry Craig
2. **Telecommunication/Broad Bandwidth, Beauty Bay**
Facilitator – Dan Yurman
Report from John Glerum, Boise State University
3. **Education and Work Force Development, Casco Bay**
Facilitator – Dick Gardner
Reports from Jim Hammond, State Board of Education, and Roger Madsen, Idaho Department of Labor
4. **Infrastructure Development Funding, Bay 1**
Facilitator – Joe Herring
Reports from Jerry Miller, Idaho Department of Commerce, and Dan Fraser, USDA Rural Development
5. **Economic Development, Bay 6**
Facilitator – Bob Ford
Reports from LaMoyne Hyde, Idaho Department of Commerce, Rick Tremblay, Economic Development Administration, and Ray Burstedt, Idaho Economic Development Association

2:45 – 3:00 p.m. Break

3:00 – 5:00 p.m.
AFTERNOON SESSION, Bay 3
Lorraine Roach, Emcee

- ◆ 3:00 – 3:30 p.m.
Presentation of Rueben D. Miller Annual Award for Individual Commitment to Rural Community Development
Presented by Lt. Governor Jim Risch
- ◆ 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Breakout Session Reports and Prioritization of Action Items
- ◆ 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Wrap Up of 2003 Idaho Rural Summit

Please note that the Connect Idaho Conference begins with a reception and speaker at 6 p.m. on Wednesday evening.

* *Reminder, Idaho Rural Summit participants staying at the Coeur d'Alene Resort will have complimentary parking in the resort garage. Please remind the front desk if necessary.*

Thank you for participating in the Idaho Rural Summit!

For more information please feel free to contact the Idaho Rural Partnership at 208/334-3131 or info@irp.state.id.us.



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Tuesday, November 18

3:00 – 6:30 p.m.

Idaho Rural Summit Registration

Lobby (across from Bay 3)

5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

No Host Social and Networking

Bay 2

6:00 – 8:30 p.m.

IDAHO RURAL SUMMIT OPENING SESSION

Bay 2

◆ 6:00 p.m.

Welcome and Dinner

LaMoyne Hyde, Emcee

Video Greeting

Senator Mike Crapo

Keynote Speaker

Craig Nolte, Senior Community Affairs Specialist,

Seattle Branch, Federal Reserve Bank of

San Francisco

- Working Together to Provide Broadband in Rural Idaho, Rick Gerrard, Syringa Network
- How Infrastructure and Hard Work Pay Off, Francee Wassard, Council Economic Development Coordinator
- Utilizing Workforce Development Funds and TechHelp to Keep Businesses in Idaho, the Freedom Plastics Story, Richard Westerberg, Preston

◆ 8:30 – 9:00 a.m.

Progress Report on Governor's Rural Initiative

Karl Tueller, Idaho Department of Commerce

◆ 9:00 – 9:45 a.m.

Inland Northwest Economic Adjustment Strategy Update

Lorraine Roach, Hingston Roach Group

◆ 9:45 – 10:00 a.m.

Idaho Transportation Long Range Plan

David Ekern, Idaho Transportation Department

10:00 – 10:15 a.m.

Break

10:15 - Noon

What's Already Happened and What Lies Ahead for Rural Idaho (Select one **BREAKOUT TOPIC** session to attend during this time from the list in the next column.)

◆ 10:15 – 10:30 a.m.

Introduction & Overview from Facilitator

◆ 10:30 – 11 a.m.

Progress Reports

◆ 11:00 – 11:45 a.m.

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◆ 11:45 - Noon

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Noon – 1:00 p.m.

LUNCHEON, Bay 2

Nancy Bergman, Emcee

Idaho's Role in the National Rural Development Partnership

Senator Larry Craig via live video

1:00 – 2:45 p.m.

What's Already Happened and What Lies Ahead for Rural Idaho (Select a second **BREAKOUT TOPIC** session to attend during this time from the list in the next column.)

Wednesday, November 19

6:30 – 7:30 a.m.

Networking Breakfast, Bay 5

7:30 - 10:00 a.m.

MORNING SESSION, BAY 2

Trent Clark, Emcee

◆ 7:30 – 8:30 a.m.

Success Story Showcase

- How the Magic Valley Landed Dell Computers, Jan Rogers, Southern Idaho Economic Development Organization
- The Use of Joint Powers Agreement to Bring Together Historical Adversaries, Bonners Ferry Mayor Darrell Kerby